1. No person will be allowed to bid unless he deposits with the Sale Conducting Officer an earnest money of Rs. 10, which in the case of all unsuccessful bidders will be duly returned after the close of the sale. No defaulter will be permitted to bid for the right.

2. The highest bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale pay up one-fourth sale amount together with the Local, Railway, Special, Education and Health Cess and Sales-tax on the entire sale amount at Re. 0-3-6 per rupee in all inclusive of the initial deposit of Rs. 10 and shall further pay into Government Treasury, the balance of the three-fourths of the sale amount within fifteen days from the date of sale, or if that day happens to be a Government holiday before the next office day failing which the sale will be cancelled and a resale held at the risk of the original purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may occur, which will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue under Section 79 of the Forest Act, but shall not participate in any profits that may result. Further all the money so far paid shall be forfeited to Government.

3. Within fifteen days from the date of confirmation of the sale, the purchaser shall execute a *mutchalika* on a duly stamped paper and shall further deposit in the Government Savings Bank an amount equal to one-fourth of the sale amount or Rs. 25, whichever is less duly pledged to the District Forest Officer, failing which the sale will be cancelled and further action taken in accordance with the above conditions.

4. The other conditions will be the same as those applicable in the case of sales of minor forest produce.

5. Interest at 6¼ per cent will be charged on all belated payments from the date on which they fall due to the date of payment.

Sl. No.	Name of Taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
1.	Shimoga Taluk ...	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	Friday, 21st March 1952 at 3 p.m.	Sale to be held by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga.
2.	Honnali Taluk ...			
3.	Thirthahalli Taluk ...			

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Brief Notification dated 14th February 1952.

AUCTION SALE OF PITH LEASE.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that exclusive right of collecting Pith on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrith Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations for two years from 1st April 1952 to 31st March 1954 will be sold Talukwar by public auction at 3 P.M. exactly on the dates and places specified below by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or any other officer deputed by him :—

Name of Taluk		Place of Sale	Date of Sale
1. Shimoga Taluk ...	Pith lease...	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	21st March 1952

For sale conditions please refer to the pages 46 and 47, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 17th January 1952.

N.B.—Conditions and other particulars may be ascertained at the District Forest Office.

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Notification dated 14th February 1952.

SALE OF KACHI GRASS.

The public are hereby informed that tender for the right of collecting and removing *Kachi grass* on all Government lands in Honnali Taluk during the year 1952-54 will be received by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, till 4 P.M. on 21st March 1952.

The produce is leased out for extraction of oil in Kachikoppa Village, Honnali Taluk and the required quantity of fuel for distillation of oil can be had from prepaid licenseholders, who remove the dry fuel from Forests.

The intending tenderer shall pay a deposit of Rs. 25 along with their tenders. The tender is subject to confirmation by the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, as the case may be.

The highest tenderer shall pay the full amount of the lease within a week from the date of receipt of orders of acceptance of the tender together with cesses at Re. 0-3-3 per rupee and the sale-tax at Re. 0-0-3 per rupee, and he should enter into an agreement with the Range Officer, Ayanur Range on a stamped paper of proper value binding himself to work out the bob without damaging any Forest growth in the locality and a security deposit of Rs. 25 will have to be paid by him. Failure to comply with this will result in the cancellation of the sale and the disposal of the bob in the sale at his risk.

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Notification dated 14th February 1952.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the right of collecting and removing Canes in Agumbe and Balehalli State Forests during 1952-53 subject to exercise of the rights of the villagers will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga or any other officer deputed by him at Agumbe Travellers' Bungalow at 4 P.M. on 19th March 1952.

For further details of the sale conditions, please apply to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga or to the Range Officer, Agumbe on working days between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

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Notification dated 14th February 1952

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the right of collecting and removing Cardamom from Agumbe and Balehalli State Forests of Agumbe Range during the years 1952-54 will be sold by public auction at 4 P.M. on 19th March 1952 at Agumbe Travelers' Bungalow by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga.

For full details of conditions of the sale, please apply to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga or the Range Officer, Agumbe during office hours on working days.

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Notification dated 14—16th February 1952.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the right of collecting grazing fee on cattle passing through Agumbe Toll Gate, Agumbe range during 1952-53 will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or any other officer deputed by him at Agumbe T.B. at 4 P.M. on 19th March 1952.

For full details of sale conditions, please apply to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or the Range Officer, Agumbe, on working days from 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

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Brief Notification dated 14th February 1952.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right of collecting tolls at Toll-gate at Hanagere in Hanagere Range on Hanagere-Sirigere and Hanagere–Shimoga Road for the year 1952-53 will be sold by public auction at Sirigere in the Range Forest Office, Hanagere, by the Range Officer, Hanagere, on 19th March 1952 at 3 P.M.

For further details of sale conditions please apply to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or to the Range Officer, Hanagere.

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Notification dated 14th February 1952.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the right of collecting cinnomon leaves for distilling oil in all Government unoccupied lands, Amritmahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations of the following Taluk during the year 1952-53 will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, on the date and at the place noted below :—

Name of Division	Name of Range or Taluk comprised	Date of sale	Place of sale
Shimoga ...	Thirthahalli Taluk.	21st March 1952 at 3 P.M.	District Forest Office, Shimoga.

Details of sale conditions can be had at the District Forest Office during working hours between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

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